

CRAZE

For Gambling Has Developed

And the Swells of London's Smart Set are Fleeced

In the Parlors of Those of Their Own Four Hundred Circle.

The Gambling Mania Has Reached a Condition That Borders on a Scandal of Mammoth Proportions;

London, May 31.—The passion for gambling pervading the smart set in London threatens to lead to much scandal. Stories are already current of well known men in financial difficulties over gaming losses, in one case amounting, it is said, to £8,000 in a single sitting.

Cowthief's Second Term.

Akron, O., May 31.—William F. Greiner was given a sentence of four years in the penitentiary for stealing a cow. Four years ago he was given a three-year penalty for stealing a cow, and had been out of prison but two months.

CHICAGO

Machinists Went Out On a Strike This Morning.

Chicago, May 31.—The machinists strike which has been held in abeyance up to this time in the hope of a settlement has been declared today and 2,300 machinists are out. Employers of machinists now say they will hire whom they please without regard to union.

"QUEER"

May be Used to Open "Jack Pots."

A Jury Decides it Would Not be Unlawful.

A Case in United States Court in Which a Poker Player was Charged With Shaving Counterfeit Money.

Indianapolis, May 31.—A jury in the United States circuit court returned a verdict in which it was held that it is no violation of law to use a counterfeit coin in opening a "jack pot" in a poker game. The case was that of Jesse Page of El Dorado, who was charged with passing a counterfeit dollar while he had his feet under a poker table. A "jack pot" was the object for which the players were striving. Page "broke the pot" for a dollar and tossed the coin on the table with the chips that were already there. The pot was raked in by a man who was a witness for the government in the case.

CENSUS

Bureau Has Made Its Final Announcement.

The Population in 1900, Excluding the Philippine and Porto Rico, was 76,303,387.

Washington, May 31.—Census Bureau this afternoon made its final announcement of population of the United States as recorded by census of 1900. It is 76,303,387. This figure includes the population of Alaska, Hawaii, Indian Territory and the Indian reservations, but not Porto Rico and the Philippines. The entire volume will be put in the hands of the public at least four years in advance of any previous census.

Hanged For Assault.

Baltimore, May 31.—Wiley Kirk, a negro, was hanged at Towson this morning for a felonious assault on Mrs. Barbara Green, March 7, last. Mrs. Green was the wife of a light house keeper at Welshman's creek. She was dragged to the woods and assaulted.

SYMPATHETIC

Demonstration to be Made by Labor Unions of Cincinnati Saturday.

Cincinnati, O., May 31.—The local unions, the Central Labor Council and Building Trades Council are expected to be in line and the demonstration of organized labor ever witnessed in Cincinnati. Many small concerns have accepted the machinists' terms but thousands of machinists are still idle. It is probable that President

Shifting of Railway Presidents. Cleveland, May 31.—Among railway officials in this city it is generally conceded that President Newman, of the Lake Shore, has been selected as the president of the New York Central. A meeting of the directors of the latter road will be held within a few days, when it is said he will be formally elected. It is probable that President

WARM

Shot Fired at Mr. Tillman.

Too Late Now,

Says McLaurin of the Joint Debate,

To Consider Whether the Move was a Wise or an Unwise One.

Indignant Denial of the Charge That McLaurin Has Been Acting in Collusion With the Republicans.

Charleston, S. C., May 31.—Interest in the controversy between Senators Tillman and McLaurin was given a new zest by a prepared statement just issued by Senator McLaurin defining his position. He begins by saying that the recent address to the people by Senator Tillman makes it necessary that he say something in explanation of his motives and actions, and that "had it not been for Senator Tillman's intrusion upon the Gaffney meeting there would have been no necessity for it. A joint debate was precipitated by him contrary to my wishes and of the men who invited me."

He continues: "It is too late now to consider whether it was wise or unwise, and the people must judge between us. I desire to announce my candidacy in opposition to the senior senator for the unexpired long term, and I will discuss with him in a fair and reputable manner the national issues of the day and leave it to you to judge who can more honestly and honorably represent you in the United States senate. In 1887 I was elected to the senate as a Democrat and I am still a Democrat."

Senator McLaurin says that his recent Greenville speech gave the people the reason for his official action since 1889, but that the address of Senator Tillman makes it necessary for him to say he is a Democrat, and continues: "The senior senator charges that I am a Republican and was organizing a Republican party here. If he believed this charge why did he consent to run with me in a Democratic primary? I denounce the charge as an infamous falsehood and the senior senator knows what he says is untrue. He charges that the dispensing of the public patronage has been placed at my disposal and unlimited money is furnished me by Republicans to aid in the scheme of new party. I denounce this as a malicious falsehood. The people shall judge of our Democracy and not the senior senator. The senior senator is addicted to making reckless and false charges against others which he never substantiates. An honest man is always chary in charging others with dishonesty; the thief often cries 'Stop, thief!' He is an ambitious boss and habitual disturber of the political peace and harmony of South Carolina."

Senator McLaurin closes as follows: "Fellow-citizens, there will never be anything like unity or quietude among our people until he is relegated to private life. His incendiary appeals to class hatred and prejudice, such as he made at Gaffney to factory operatives, and his dictatorial spirit and utterances will keep up dissensions and discord in the state. With the aid of the people, I will make a heroic effort to break down bossism with its train of political evils, and I invite all good citizens to assist me to inaugurate an era of free thought, free speech and independence of action in South Carolina. The senior senator, in the quietude of a farmer's life in Edgefield county, could be viewed as a pitchforkless pigmy, and a blessing to the state."

Maccabees Elect Officers. Akron, O., May 31.—At the closing session of the Knights of the Maccabees, Columbus was selected as the place for holding the next biennial convention of the great camp of Ohio. Eight representatives of the great camp, Knights of the Maccabees, were elected at the closing session. They are: Dr. L. E. Sisler, Akron; D. J. Fisher, Columbus; F. E. White, Toledo; J. M. Rice, Findlay; W. H. Sletzer, Cleveland; W. N. Roach, Alliance; D. C. Kellar, Cincinnati; S. H. McCleary, Newark.

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Canniff, of the Nickel Plate, will succeed Mr. Newman on the Lake Shore.

Runaway Accident. La Crosse, Wis., May 31.—In a runaway accident Misses Angelina Levi, Mary Pinkle and Anna Berlina were seriously injured. Two of Miss Levi's ribs were broken; she was injured internally and may die. Miss Pinkle received internal injuries and Miss Berlina's legs were broken. Her condition is critical.

Memorial Day Tragedy. St. Joseph, Mo., May 31.—John T. Price, an old soldier of Bethany, Mo., was killed while in a parade on the way to the cemetery by Aut Miller, his brother-in-law. They had not been on good terms for several days. Miller killed himself in order to escape arrest.

Reception For the Cardinal. New York, May 31.—Cardinal Martini was the guest of the Catholic club of the city of New York at a reception in his honor. Several hundred members of the club, with their wives and daughters, were present.

BATTLESHIP

Maine is Launched at Cramps Yards.

Great Multitude Witnessed the Launching.

The New War Ship is Twice as Large as the Old One the Spaniards Destroyed in the Harbor at Havana.

Philadelphia, May 31.—The new battleship Maine was successfully launched at the Cramps yards in the presence of a great multitude. Between the new Maine and the old are few points of resemblance. The first was rated as a second-class battleship with a displacement of 6,682 tons. Her namesake is nearly twice as large, displacing 12,300 tons at normal draught. The principal dimensions of the new battleship are: length between perpendiculars, 388 feet; length over all, 393 feet 10 1/4 inches; extreme breadth, 72 feet; mean draught, 23 feet 6 inches; displacement at normal draught, 12,300 tons; estimated displacement at full load draught, 13,500 tons. The armament designed for the vessel is very powerful.

BOOMERS

Struggling Over Mountains of Tennessee

To Reach the Newly Discovered Oil Fields That Promise to Eclipse Those of Beaumont.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 31.—Boomers are struggling in great numbers over rough mountain roads to the new oil fields on the celebrated Cumberland plateau. Green oil of better quality than comes from Beaumont wells have been discovered in Scott, Fentress, White and Coffee counties, middle Tennessee; and Wayne and Whitley counties, Kentucky. Yield varies from 50 to 400 barrels a day.

The immigration into the Sunny Brook fields has developed into a rush equal to that to Indian lands thrown open to the public. Inquiries from capitalists in all parts of the country are keeping the mails weighed down. Cincinnati and St. Louis parties are unusually interested in the development of this oil field.

REMORE

And Fear Drove a Man to Suicide.

Insulted His Employer's Wife and Fearing Lynching Blew Out His Brains With Shotgun.

Bloomington, Ills., May 31.—Because he feared lynching Alfred Grohans, a young Frenchman who had been employed by Jos. Bullard, a farmer living a few miles east of here, killed himself last night. Bullard had been summoned to the bedside of a sick friend, leaving Grohans and Mrs. Bullard alone in the house. During her husband's absence, Mrs. Bullard was insulted by Grohans and she fled to the protection of friends. Becoming alarmed over the possible consequences of his action, Grohans secured a shot gun and blew out his brains.

Brill Under Arrest. Laporte, Ind., May 31.—Joseph W. Brill of Cleveland was arrested here on a bill voted by the grand jury charging him with the attempted murder of Ellsworth E. Weil, leading attorney of this city. Brill gave bond in the sum of \$5,000. Brill came to this city Sunday night, Jan. 20, and meeting Weil in a physician's office, fired a bullet into his body. Brill is reputed to be worth half a million dollars. Brill believed Weil had interfered in his domestic relations.

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CUBA

The Subject at the Conference

In Washington

Between the President and Advisers.

Several Very Knotty Problems Still Remains to be Solved.

President Must Determine Whether the Platt Amendment was Substantially Adopted by the Cubans.

Washington, May 31.—Secretary Root, Senator Spooner of Wisconsin and Senator O. H. Platt, chairman of the senate committee on Cuban relations, had a conference of some length with the president regarding Cuba.

Secretary Root has been fully advised by Governor General Wood regarding the progress of events in Cuba and has been informed of the action of the convention in its successive stages, together with the final action of the convention in adopting the Platt amendment and the interpretation placed upon it by the convention, as well as the interpretation of the interviews between the Cuban commissioners and the president and secretary of war. He would thus be able to inform the president fully of the definite results in the convention in adopting the Platt amendment as amended or interpreted by the delegates. The president and his advisers will determine whether the Platt amendment has been "substantially" adopted by the convention. This is preliminary to the withdrawal of the United States authority and forces from Cuba, if it should be found that the interpretation of the convention is not satisfactory to the administration, quite a difficult problem would arise, as it seems to be the intention of the Cubans to proceed to form a government, and that government must be recognized or rejected by the president, who has full power to determine whether the act of congress has been complied with by the convention.

Another problem which has been discussed by those interested in Cuban affairs relates to what would follow should the new Cuban government be recognized. The Cuban government, it is asserted, will be for some time without the machinery to execute its own laws and put in operation its own edicts. It is held by some lawyers that the moment the Cuban government is recognized the authority of the United States ceases, and there is some question as to who would be responsible for the preservation of law and order.

As the new government would have no troops and no police force and would be practically powerless should there be any opposition to its decrees and orders, the question whether the United States forces would be warranted in upholding the government, in executing its orders, has been raised; also whether the president of the United States would be authorized as commander-in-chief of the army to give orders to our troops further than their recall from foreign territory.

General Grant at Home.

New York, May 30.—General Frederick Dean Grant arrived from Washington, accompanied by his wife, and is staying at his residence here. He visited his mother, Mrs. U. S. Grant, who is staying at the Fifth Avenue hotel with her daughter, Mrs. Sartoris, and her son, Jesse Grant. General Grant expects to go to West Point June 5. His son, U. S. Grant, will then have completed his second year at the academy, and will be entitled to a furlough until Aug. 23. June 11 the general expects to sail for St. Petersburg. His wife and son will accompany him and they will visit his daughter, the Princess Cantacuzene, and her 9-months-old son. They will return to America in August. General Grant anticipates a further duty of two years in the Philippines.

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CRIMES

Brought Men to the Rescue.

Negro Mobbed

By Citizens of Alabama Villages.

The Fiend Had Attempted to Drag a Young Lady Out of a Buggy.

Mob Captured the Negro and After He Had Confessed the Crime His Captors Hanged Him to a Tree.

Birmingham, Ala., May 31.—Frank Reeves, a negro, was hanged by a mob between Georgiana and Dunham, two small villages in Butler county. The negro had attacked Miss Ida McMillin, and while attempting to drag her from a buggy was frightened away by several men who responded to the young woman's screams for help. Reeves was captured and confessed his crime. A mob took him to a bridge near by and after tying a rope around his neck forced him to jump off.

Andersonville Fountain. Americus, Ga., May 31.—A memorial fountain over the Providence spring and the historic Andersonville stockade was dedicated in the presence of a large crowd. National Commander James Atwell of the National Association of Union ex-Prisoners of War, unveiled the tablet, which bears an inscription, "In memory of the 52,345 Union soldiers who were confined here as prisoners of war and of the 13,000 comrades who died and whose remains are buried in the adjoining national cemetery."

Frenchman's Disclosure. Washington, May 31.—Speaking at a luncheon tendered in his honor, M. Jules Siegried, the French statesman visiting this country, said President McKinley told him in a recent interview that he was no longer an ultra-protectionist; that the United States had reached that period in its history when it became necessary to go out in the world and secure markets, and the necessity for heavy protection had largely disappeared.

Sequel to Domestic Quarrel. Bedford, Ind., May 31.—Nelson Hatfield, an old soldier living near this city, attempted to murder his wife by shooting her through the back with a revolver, and then, turning the weapon on himself, shot a ball through his head, from which he died in 30 minutes. She had made application for divorce.

Had a Sheriff Arrested. Lima, O., May 31.—H. O'Neill had a warrant issued for the arrest of Sheriff Bogart on a charge of assault. O'Neill went to the jail with a registered letter containing money for a prisoner, and refused to deliver the letter except to the prisoner in person, which caused the controversy.

Taylor's Fast Pace. Philadelphia, May 31.—Edouard Taylor, the French cyclist, defeated Frank Cadwell of Hartford, Conn., in a 20-mile motor-paced race. Cadwell throughout was unable to follow his pace, while Taylor stuck to his pace beautifully. Taylor's time for the 20 miles was 56:46 2/5.

Mrs. Fleming Acquitted. Mansfield, O., May 31.—Mrs. Mae Fleming, who was tried on a charge of forging an order for \$150 on the sanitary board, by which she was employed as stenographer, was acquitted.

Cornell Won.

Ithaca, N. Y., May 31.—Cornell won the boat race, Columbia second by two lengths and Pennsylvania third by five lengths.

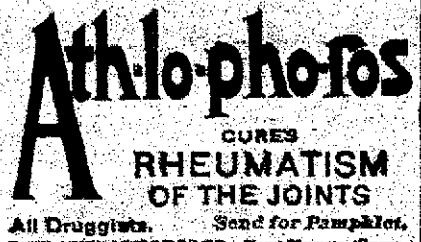
The Weather.

Washington, May 31.—For Ohio, unsettled weather today and Saturday; occasional rains.

THE PRESIDENT

Is Not Satisfied and Will Keep an Armed Force in Cuba Until He Is.

Washington, May 31.—At a cabinet meeting today, it was decided to convey to the Cuban constitutional convention the decision of the Administration that the acceptance of the Platt amendment by the convention is unsatisfactory. The Secretary of War, who will send this announcement to the Cubans, will advise the convention in diplomatic language to try again, and until the convention complies with all portions of the amendment, without conditions attached thereto, the President will maintain an armed force of the United States on the island.



CURES
OF THE JOINTS

All Drugs, Send for Pamphlet

THE ATHLOPHOTOS CO., New Haven, Conn.

Severe work, followed by prolonged rest in a damp room, insufficient clothing, exposure to draughts and cold. By use of the joints, Athlo-photos by its strengthening and purifying powers enables the system to throw off the uric acid poisons, and thus cures the disease.

Brownstone, Ind.

Centuries—had the rheumatism in my left knee so bad that I could not bend it. I could hardly walk or sit down. I got a bottle of Athlo-photos and took it and bend it and walk without pain. The pain left in a few hours.

Your respectfully,

George Weston.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

During May and June Via Ohio Central Lines.

On May 21st and June 4th and 18th, agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell Homeseekers' Excursion Tickets at greatly reduced rates to points in the West, Southwest and South. Tickets to be good for return within limit of 31 days from date of sale.

For further particulars as to reduced rates, routes, etc., call on agents of Ohio Central Lines, or address nearest passenger representative below:

John Moore, T. P. Agent, Findlay, Ohio.

S. G. Harvey, Pass. Agent, Toledo, Ohio.

D. J. Cargo, Pass. Agent, Toledo, Ohio.

W. A. Peters, Pass. Agent, Columbus, Ohio.

E. E. Heiner, Pass. Agent, Charles-ton, W. Va.

Seven Years in Bed.

"Will wonders ever cease?" inquire the friends of Mrs. L. Pease of Lawrence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debility; but, "three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp. Only 50 cents.

\$15.00, \$12.40, \$10.30, \$6.55.

These are the fares to Buffalo and return for the Pan-American Exposition via Chicago and Erie railroad. Stopovers allowed at Chautauqua Lake. F. C. McCoy, Agent.

Genesee Pure Food Co., La Roy, N.Y.:

Dear Sirs—Some days since a package of your GRAIN-O preparation was left at my office. I took it home and gave it a trial and I am now using it as a substitute for coffee. We have always used the best Java and Mocha in our family, but I am free to say I like the GRAIN-O as well as the best coffee I ever drank. Respectfully yours,

A. C. JACKSON, M. D.

The C. H. & D. will operate a base ball excursion to Cincinnati Sunday, June 2. Tickets will be good going on the 2:10 or 5:30 p.m. train and returning at 5:30 p.m. or 10 p.m. the same day. A rate of \$1.50 for the round trip has been decided upon. If

Allen Halverson of West Prairie, Wis., says: "People come ten miles to buy Foley's Kidney Cure." While J. A. Spero of Elkhorn, Ind., says: "It is the medical wonder of the age."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

OHIO CENTRAL LINES

To the Pan-American Exposition.

Special low rate excursion tickets are sold at all important ticket offices of the Ohio Central Lines to Buffalo and return.

For full particulars as to special rates, dates of sale, limits, routes, etc., call on agents of the Ohio Central Lines.

On all through tickets to points east of Buffalo, a stop-over of ten days will be allowed at the Exposition. If you are going east, go via Buffalo. 59-1m

Denmark started the last century as the poorest country, per head, of population, in Europe; it ended as one of the richest. And has to thank the land system and the dairy system for the fact.

You may not well expect to run a steam engine without water as to find an active, energetic man with a torpid liver and you may know that his liver is torpid when he does not relish his food or feels dull and languid after eating, often has headache and sometimes diarrhea. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will restore his liver to its normal functions, renew his vitality, improve his digestion and make him feel like a new man. Price, 25 cents. Sample free at Wm. M. Melville's drug store, old post office corner.

Playing for Keeps.

I have observed in the larger game of marbles which we call "making a living" that most of the boys are "playing for keeps" and only a few for fun and that those who are playing for keeps are the boys with the most influence and standing in the community. I know a whole lot of boys, some of them living in Massachusetts today, who are playing for keeps, but instead of marbles they are using wheat or corn or railroad stocks. No one of them knows just whom he is playing against, but each knows that for each dollar he wins a dollar is lost by some one else.

Nevertheless I am old fogey enough to say that for myself I do not regret my early training, nor am I ready to leave behind its principles, but as long as the majority of parents wish their boys to be successful it seems to me you ought to make it clear that playing marbles for keeps is an excellent way of drilling boys in that acquisitiveness which will make it possible for them in after years to provide their wives and daughters with silk dresses, opera cloaks and automobiles.—Springfield Republican.

A Mean Job.

"Do you ever feel," she asked the great novelist, "as if you had run out of ideas—as if you were all pumped dry?"

"Oh, yes," he wearyingly replied, "I feel that way right now."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A RESOLUTION

Declaring it Necessary to Improve Edwards Street, From the Findlay Road to Edwards Street, by Grading the Same to the Established Grade.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve Edwards street in said city, from Jefferson street to McCullough street, by grading the same to the established grade.

Sec. 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications thereon, now on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expenses of such grading shall be assessed per front foot upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points, and such assessments shall be made at such time as may hereafter be determined and fixed by an assessing ordinance.

Sec. 4. That E. D. Randall be, and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution upon the owner or owners of each separate lot and tract of land abutting upon said street between said points, who are residents of Allen county, in the manner prescribed by law.

R. E. DAVIS,
President of the Council.
C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Adopted May 27, 1901.
may 31-th-5-2w

A RESOLUTION

Declaring it Necessary to Improve Halle Street, From Main Street to West Street, by Grading the Same To the Established Grade.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve Halle street in said city, from Main street to West street, by grading the same to the established grade.

Sec. 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications thereon, now on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

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A RESOLUTION

Providing for the Construction of Sidewalks on Scott Street, Between the Elida Road to McKibben Street, by Grading the Same to the Established Grade.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve north Metcalf street in said city, from the Elida road north to McKibben street, by grading the same to the established grade.

Sec. 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications thereon, now on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

Sec. 3. That the Mayor of the city be, and he hereby is directed to cause notice of the adoption of this resolution to be served upon all the owners of property abutting upon said street between Market street and the Detroit & Lima Northern Railroad, who are residents of Allen County, in the manner prescribed by law.

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A RESOLUTION

Providing for the Construction of Sidewalks on the North Side of Pennsylvania Avenue, Between Elizabeth Street and West Street.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary that sidewalks be constructed on the north side of Pennsylvania Avenue in said city, between Elizabeth street and the east line of West street, as said street is now located north of the Pittsburg, R. Wayne & Chicago railroad, extended, and the owner of each separate lot and tract of land abutting upon the north side of said Pennsylvania Avenue between said points, is hereby required to construct a sidewalk in front of his respective property within thirty days after receiving notice of the adoption of this resolution, and any and all such sidewalks so constructed by the owner within such period will be constructed by the city, and the cost thereof shall be charged and assessed to the lot or tract of land in front of which the same is constructed.

Sec. 2. That such sidewalks shall be constructed of the materials and in the manner provided in the general sidewalk ordinance of the city, and under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer and the Council.

Sec. 3. That the Mayor of the city be, and he hereby is directed to cause notice of the adoption of this resolution to be served upon all the owners of property abutting upon said Pennsylvania Avenue, between the points named who are resi-

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NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Monday, June 24, 1901, and opened immediately thereafter for the purchase of \$4,200 worth (par value) of bonds known and designated as the West Elm Street Grading Bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, issued in anticipation of the collection of a special assessment and levy to be made to pay the costs of improving West Elm street, from West street to Cole street, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same with a first class quality of vitrified paving brick in accordance with an ordinance providing for same, passed by the council of said city on the 29th day of April, 1901, and with the plans and specifications herefore adopted and now on file.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one half (4 1/2) per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually, principal and interest payable at the office of the City Treasurer in Lima, Ohio, as it becomes due.

Said bonds shall mature as follows:

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ALL**The News is Briefly
Told****But Lots of It**Is to be Found on the
South Side.Many are Entertaining Vis-
itors and Not a Few are
Out of Town.Couples from Buckland and Spencerville Seek Out Lima Minis-
ters to Consummate Their
Happiness.

Henry Luce has resigned his position at McGuff's barber shop on south Main street, returning to his home at Cleveland. His place was taken yesterday morning by Harry Barton, of Columbus.

Having attended the funeral of Sylvester Peltier, of Delphos, a former south Lima resident, Mr. and Mrs. John Peltier, Charles Peltier and Rev. W. H. Leatherman have re-turned home.

Detroit, Michigan friends will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Miller, of south Union street for the next few days.

The south side has new residents in Mr. and Mrs. Hullinger and family, who moved from Grand Rapids, Mich., to McPherson avenue, where they will make their future home.

At her south Elizabeth street home, Mrs. F. C. Hellworth, is entertaining Z. Z. Brandon, of Detroit, who will soon make this his permanent home.

Business engaged the attention of J. H. Hansberger, at Alger Wednes-day.

J. W. Chestam, has left for his future home at Richmond, Va.

Bucyrus friends have for the guest, A. Van Taylor, of south Lima.

Wednesday Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mell, of east Vine street, spent the day at Gomer.

South side friends are being visited by Henry Dunson, of Kenton.

South Lima friends were called upon yesterday by Rev. Bethards, of Kenton.

St. Marys will be visited for a week, by J. H. Allen, who will enjoy the time fishing.

On account of the death of a relative at Payne, William Hoops, of the south side, has gone there to attend the funeral.

Her mother, Mrs. John Haynes, of Marion, Ind., is visiting Mrs. G. A. Harrett, on south Elizabeth street.

A number of friends were delightfully entertained at 6 o'clock dinner by Mrs. Robert Reese, of south Main street, Wednesday.

H. E. Rutledge visited at Ada yes-terday.

Their sister, Mrs. A. M. Duckworth, of south Main street, is being visited by Misses Ella and Maggie Duckworth, on south Main street.

The Misses Wellman, of New Knoxville, and being entertained by Mrs. John Mack, at her home on south Central avenue.

The south side was visited yesterday by M. Craib, of Waynesfield.

At the Grace M. E. parsonage on south Elizabeth street, Wednesday at 2 o'clock, Miss Grace Hensley and Thomas Blinckley, both of Buckland, were united in wedlock by Rev. W. H. Leatherman.

The infant child of C. M. Wood on south Elizabeth street is critically ill.

In honor of her twentieth birthday anniversary, Laura Johnson entertained a number of her little friends very pleasantly at her home on east Kirby street. Various happy features and the serving of delicate refreshments made the occasion a delightful one.

Returning from their wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. John Kenyon, who were recently married, will be at home to their friends at 522 south Elizabeth street.

The south side was visited yester-day by John Grubb, of Cridersville.

South Lima friends are entertain-ing J. H. James, of Cleveland.

Visiting in this vicinity Robert Cox has returned to his home at Cridersville.

Yesterday while working around a horse, the animal kicked Irvin Ridenour on the leg, bruising it badly.

His friends will be sorry to learn of the alarming illness of Adam Stapp.

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Plenty of potatoes at Crossley Brothers, 715 south Main street.

Local friends yesterday entertained Mrs. J. G. Rudy, of Kenton.

At her home on south Central ave-

nue, Mrs. L. C. Clevenger is seriously ill.

Their son Frank on south Central avenue was visited yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. David Stepleton, of Cridersville.

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The canal fever is apparently spreading, for a bill has been introduced in the Florida legislature providing for the incorporation of the Florida ship canal company "to locate, construct, own and operate a ship canal across the peninsula of Florida to connect the Atlantic ocean with the gulf of Mexico." The proposed company is to have a capital stock of \$100,000,000. The route it desires to pursue as set forth in the bill, is from a point on Biscayne bay, just south of Miami on the Atlantic side, through the canals of Dade and Lee to a point between Deadman's bay and Cape Roman, on the gulf side. Such a canal would be less than one hundred miles long, but it would shorten the route of vessels plying between Atlantic and gulf ports more than two hundred and fifty miles, and, besides, would avert the perils of the Florida keys. The canal would pass through a region filled with lakes and rivers, and its construction would not be very difficult from a physical point of view. Its importance would of course be greatly increased by the construction of the isthmian canal.

The decision of the supreme court of the United States that the tariff provisions of the Foraker act are constitutional stands on the narrow ground that the provision prescribing that duties and taxes shall be uniform "throughout the United States" applies only to the states, and not to the territories. This is sticking very closely to the bar; but although the minority of the court, holding to the opinions of Chief Justice Marshall, has exposed the weakness of the argument the decision will stand until reversed. Justice Brown and the justices agreeing with him have come to the conclusion that in part the constitution extends over the colonies. The minority, on the other hand, hold, with Chief Justice Marshall, that the tax provisions of the constitution as well as all other provisions are as valid in Porto Rico as in Pennsylvania or in the District of Columbia. It will be strange if the plain common sense of the country shall not come to the conclusion of the minority.—Philadelphia Record.

The fathers taught their children that the people and their constitution constituted the government, and that the men in immediate authority over them were but the servants of the people. A supreme court decision antagonistic to a policy of imperialism might upset the administration but would not upset the government. A decision supporting the administration's policy of imperialism will in truth and in fact upset the government. Not that there will be any disbanding of authority or crumbling of the national structure, but such a decision will upset the government as it was founded by the Washingtons and preserved by the Lincolns. It will upset the government as the American people have understood the government.—Bryan's Commisser.

Foraker is being boomed in Washington for president, because he is the author of the measure which imposes a duty on imports from Porto Rico, sustained by the recent ruling of the United States supreme court. The public eye is now looking toward Cleveland to see Mark Hanna hustling to get delegates to the national convention who will support the Cincinnati corporation lawyer who now draws the salary of senator from Ohio.

Shoe novelties at reduced prices at The Union.

In response to an inquiry from State School Commissioner Bonebrake, send's market.

Attorney General Sheets held that the county commissioners may apportion the debt of a special school district between it and the township school district, when territory has been detached from the special district and added to the township district after the creation of the debt.

Ohio now has 201 banks, and their total deposits, exclusive of the national banks, as ascertained by Auditor of State Gilbert, are now \$163,530,055.06 against \$123,986,542.84 last year—a gain of \$39,552,602.84. Twenty banks have been established during the year, and the bank deposits during the year was unprecedented.

England now has 249,000 soldiers in South Africa. Already 14,978 have died and 17,209 have been wounded and the trouble is not over yet. Verily, Oom Paul spoke the truth when he said: "We may be conquered, but if so it will be at a cost that will stagger humanity."

The 25th inst. was the 294th anniversary of the landing of Capt. John Smith and his fellow-adventurers upon the soil of Virginia, and the foundation of the first permanent white colony in what is now the United States.

The vice president will also take a trip west before long and attend the annual meeting of the Rough Riders in Colorado Springs, June 23 and 25. Teddy will perhaps leave his gun at home this time.

Under the decision of the United States supreme court it is an established fact that the collector will follow the flag even if the constitution does not.

And now the small boy will get ready for the Fourth of July, that being the next national holiday to be observed.

WAS ABLE

To Provide for His Family But Didn't

Declares Mrs. Amanda E. Murray, Who Today Began Suit for Divorce.

Amanda E. Murray was married to Wm. T. Murray at Ada on the 21st of August, 1883, and now, after eight years of wedded life, she comes into the courts of Allen county and asks for a separation on the ground of non support and cruelty.

They have one child, she says, aged five years, but her husband failed to provide for them, and she has had to live on a competence furnished by relatives. Mrs. Murray says her husband was well able to provide all of the necessities of life as he is engaged in the undertaking business at Harrold and had a good income. On the 20th of June Mrs. Murray left her husband because as she alleges, he threatened to do her bodily harm, declaring that he would break her neck.

The petition describes several lots in Harrold and Beaver Dam that they own, and she the plaintiff, asks that she be given the custody of the child and the property in Beaver Dam, which rightly belongs to her. Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock.

Want To Recover. The Springfield Fire Insurance Co. of Massachusetts vs. The Times-Democrat Co. and the Metellus Thomson Dry Goods Co. engages the attention of the petit jury today. The action grows out of the fire which destroyed the old barn back of the Berlin, and the Insurance Company seeks to recover from the defendants the sum of \$300 which was paid to the owners of the property.

Spring Lamb and Veal at Townsends.

THE IDLER.

Her Changes are Good.

Samuel Burk, aged 55 years and Mrs. Mary A. Wells, aged 44 years, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock last Thursday evening. This is the ninth time Mr. Burk has embarked upon the matrimonial sea, the eighth wife having died but two weeks ago. These people are well-known residents of this city, having resided here for some time.—Paulding Democrat.

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MAN'S HEAD FOUND.
Probably Belonged to Headless Body Found in April.

St. Louis, May 31.—The head of a man wrapped in an old coat was found near Edgemont Park, East St. Louis, Ills. Some empty envelopes found inside the coat were addressed to F. R. Williams, New York city. The coroner held an inquest over the head and a verdict of suicide was returned. A search of the ground near where the head was discovered brought to light an old rusty razor.

About 100 yards from the spot where the head lay a headless body was found in April and was never identified.

Wilhelmina Visits William.

Potsdam, May 31.—When Queen Wilhelmina and Prince Henry arrived here they were received at the station by the emperor and empress of Germany, who accompanied them to the new palace. The visitors were warmly cheered. The zapfenstreich given in honor of Queen Wilhelmina was a most interesting ceremony. The bands played a number of old Netherlands hymns. All the assembled troops presented arms when the hymn called "Wilhelmina Nassau" was rendered. The music concluded with the "honor march of the Dutch navy." Major John B. Kerr, United States military attaché at Berlin, who has just received news of his promotion to a Lieutenant colonelcy, attended the ceremonies at the special invitation of the emperor.

Brother Against Brother.

Memphis, May 31.—William Wooten was shot to death by his brother, Jesse P. Wooten, on Auction street near Front, in a duel with pistols at close range. Jesse Wooten received two wounds, one in the right shoulder just below the collar bone and the other on top of the head. He is not seriously injured. Jesse fired five shots at his brother and one of them took effect about the head and body. When he had emptied his pistol his brother lay almost at his feet dying. Jesse made no effort to escape. The tragedy grew out of family troubles, the exact nature of which is not known.

Judge Brewer to Marry

Washington, May 31.—Announcement is made of the engagement of Judge David J. Brewer of the United States supreme court and Miss Emma Minor Mott, a prominent school teacher of this city. The wedding, which will take place next week at Burlington, Vt., where the nearest relatives of Miss Mott reside, will be private because of the recent death of the bride's mother. Judge Brewer is a widower.

Cincinnati Road Race.

Cincinnati, May 31.—The bicycle road race from Lindenwald, near Hamilton, to Chester Park, near Cincinnati, a distance of 35 miles, resulted as follows: First, William Klett, Dayton; second, O. C. Gingrich, Hamilton; third, J. S. Prank, West Liberty, O., who won time prize in 56:08; fourth, F. L. Potter, Washington C. H. A drizzling rain fell during the latter part of the race.

Miners Mixed.

Pittsburg, May 31.—About 100 coal miners, Poles on one side and Americans, Cornishmen, Irishmen and Welshmen on the other, indulged in a fierce fight at Federal. William Kearns was mortally wounded and died within an hour. A dozen or more of his friends went in pursuit of "Shorty," a Pole, who is said to have fired the fatal shot, and threatened to kill him.

To Be Courtmartialed.

Manila, May 31.—As a result of the investigation of the shooting affair at Camp Stotsenberg May 21, Lieutenant James Powell of the Sixth artillery will be tried by court-martial. Second Lieutenant Charles R. Lloyd, Jr., also of the Sixth artillery, and Dr. Overton, who dressed the wounds received by Lloyd at the hands of Powell, have been released from arrest.

Call to Trades Association.

Milwaukee, May 31.—Edwin Reynolds, president of the National Trades association, called a meeting of that body to be held in New York June 11, to discuss the machinists' strike situation.

Three Men Drowned.

Cleveland, May 31.—Three unknown young men were drowned in Rocky river by the overturning of a rowboat off Clifton park pier.

The Weather.

For Ohio—Cloudy and unsettled weather, with occasional showers; light variable winds.

TO THE POINT.

News of the Four Quarters Presented In Popular Form.

Eldest daughter of Czar Nicholas of Russia ill with typhus.

Mrs. Wesley Jones of Delaware, O., mother of triplets, boy and two girls; boy died.

Count Wilhelm Bismarck, 49, son of the late Prince Bismarck, died after brief illness.

Official order forbids Armenians naturalized in Russia or America entering Turkey.

Towboat Acorn struck bridge piers at Kenova, W. Va. and sank with her fleet of eight coal barges.

Albany (N. Y.) law school conferred degree of LL. B. on President McKinley, who graduated therefrom in 1867.

In the cellar of undertaking establishment at Birmingham, England, bodies of 31 infants were found. Woman in charge arrested.

Hiram Price, 87, many years Repub-

lican congressman from Iowa, com-

missioner of Indian affairs 1881 to

1885, died in Washington.

GUESTS
Limited to the Immediate Families

Of the Bride and Groom But a Host of Friends Will Welcome Them on Their Return.

Last evening at 7 o'clock, a quiet home wedding was consummated at the home of the bride, Mrs. G. A. Ryan, on east Market street, the man of her choice being Mr. J. R. Sinclair. Only the immediate family were present and Dr. R. J. Thomson said the blessing words, uniting their lives. After an excellent wedding supper, the bride and groom left for an eastern wedding journey, visiting Boston and other places of interest, remaining about two months, upon their return they will be at home to their friends at their home at 304 east Market street. The bride is a very estimable lady, and the groom a well known business man of the firm of Sinclair & Morrison, manufacturers of oil well tools. The good wishes of their many friends will follow them on their journey.

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FUNERAL

Of Mrs. Margaret Danaher was Held Today.

Services Conducted at St. Rose Church and Remains Were Laid to Rest in Gethsemani.

The last sad rights over the remains of Mrs. D. J. Danaher were held at St. Rose church this morning. Rev. J. B. Mooney sang the requiem mass and preached a fitting eulogy, paying a noble tribute to the Christian life of the deceased. The pallbearers were Thos. Cusby, Richard Phalen, C. F. Flynn, D. F. Ryan, Eugene Dahl. The remains were laid to rest in Gethsemani cemetery. Mr. Danaher's sister, Mrs. Burke of Chicago, was present at the funeral services.

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CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to express my heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted me with their help and sympathy during the late illness and death of my husband. I also gratefully remember the floral gifts and sincerely thank the donors.

Mrs. H. E. Sherr.

Dr. Rixey's Statement.

Washington, May 31.—Dr. Rixey issued a bulletin at noon, saying, "The illness of Mrs. McKinley still continues and she cannot be considered out of danger." Improvement is looked for.

SAFETY CHAINS

Will Now be Put Up at the Scene of Yesterday's Disaster.

Philadelphia, May 31.—John Moore, the only survivor of the party of eight which went over Flatrock dam yesterday and were drowned will recover.

The bodies of the seven victims have not yet been found. There have been so many accidents at this dam that safety chains will now be put up.

OIL Found in Washington.

Seattle, Wash., May 31.—The first oil found in this state was struck at a depth of 200 feet near Tenino by the Puget Sound Petroleum company. The discovery indicates that the oil belt extends from California to Puget sound. Seven other test wells are being driven in western Washington.

Trust Gets Georgia Car Works.

Savannah, May 31.—The announcement is made that the Georgia car works were sold and may go into the hands of the car trust. It is understood the stockholders get 50 cents on the dollar. The company is capitalized at \$100,000 and bonded for \$100,000.

Florida Timber Deal.

Savannah, May 31.—John G. McDonough of this city has just closed a deal by which he secures 175,000 acres of heavily wooded pine timber lands in Hernando and Pasco counties, Fla. The price paid is \$500,000.

Admiral Kemp Leaves Manila.

Washington, May 31.—Admiral Kemp's departure from Manila for China on board the Kentucky has been reported to the navy department, but without any details of the proposed trip. The New Orleans, Monocacy, Monterey and Monocacy are now in Chinese waters, and it is expected that Admiral Kemp will visit these ships. Admiral Rodgers will be

on board the Kentucky.

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SOMETHING ABOUT HATS.

Olive Harper Tells of Novelties in
Spring Millinery.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, April 12.—This afternoon I took a walk on Fifth Avenue and divided my time between the ladies in their spring hats and parasols and coats in the carriages and the still prettier costumes worn by the pedestrians. The latter were by far the more interesting, for it seems to me that nearly all the women who ride in their carriages and who wear real sable have to reach a certain age before they arrive at the necessary financial position. Anyhow, more than five-sixths of the women in the carriages are far beyond the forties. The women who are younger and brisker and as a rule better dressed, and one gets a better chance to see their clothes, and they are worn with much more grace naturally.

One bright young lady had a hat of coarse straw, and this had a few tufts of white silk just stuck anywhere, and between and around them were great bunches of gooseberries in every stage of growth and consequently color.

Some were a very immature green, and others again were a deep dark red, and like those of which Jennie Yellowplush tells us were the hairy kind. Up

to the present moment I have not been able to say whether the whole hat was pretty or not. But others seemed to admire it. And the shape of it is a type, for there are simply thousands of hats in this shape, but not all of them have trimming like this. Indeed, the most of them have colored scarfs, some in the ruchanda and others in the silk mill draped style. Very many have hundreds of the cunning little picayune roses. The foliage goes with these, and they are very dainty and pretty. In some of the hats they are used as sole trimming mingled with black velvet ribbon. It is surprising to see how the craze for black velvet ribbon holds on.

The shirt waist has made it necessary to have a hat especially adapted to it, and so there is a very pretty little

hat with a wide brim and a very full

skirt, and a very full crown.

Excursion Rates to Toledo via Ohio Central Lines.

Account meeting of Coal Dealers' Association at Toledo, agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion

tickets at one fare round trip, good

going June 9, 10, and 11, and good re-

turning until June 17th, 1901. The

Ohio Central is the direct line to To-

ledo; look at map in another column

of this paper.

Excursion Rates to Chillicothe.

One fare for the round trip to Chil-

licothe, via Ohio Central lines, account

of Ohio Sunday School Association

Excursion tickets on sale June 3rd

and 4th, from all stations in Ohio,

good returning until June 7th. See

agents of Ohio Central lines.

BEYOND DOUBT.

These Facts Must Convince Every

Lima Reader.

That which follows is the ex-
perience of a resident of Lima. In-
credulity cannot exist among the state-
ment because it can easily be investi-
gated.

Mr. N. Brown, of 633 north Jackson

street, says: "I suffered from dis-
tressing pain in my back, sciatic pains

through my limbs, was sore and lame

and could not rest comfortably. See-

ing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recom-

mended I procured a box at Melville's

drug store and used it; I was so much

benefited that I continued the treat-

ment until thoroughly relieved of the

pains through my back and the kid-
neys were restored to a healthy and

normal action."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50

cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buf-

falo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and

take no substitute.

EXTRME NOVELTIES IN MILLINERY.

round, rough straw in a short sailor

effect and trimmed simply with a scarf

of Persian or something of about that

texture. Dotted silk is one of the best

liked materials for the scarfs, but

some of the fearful and wonderful

ruchanda handkerchiefs are used. So

much depends upon the style of the

wearer that one scarcely need say

more. Naturally these are not dress

hats by any means, but are for outings

and to wear with shirt waists.

Another and genuine novelty and one

for which I predict much success is

another outing hat, this being made of

duck, plique, close crash and several

kinds of linen, all stitched solidly. The

shape can be seen in the illustration,

and it will be noticed that there is not

a stitch or trimming on it, unless one

might call a bias band around the

crown such. It is cut and made like

the caps, only instead of having a peak

it has a full brim. This hat is to be

worn at the seaside and for all the

sports. It is made of striped goods

for the most part, but if it should be of

linen then the stripes are brought

about by the use of colored threads.

These hats are to be washed, and so

the colors must be fast. The hat at the

bottom, which looks like a wasp's nest,

is made of a very coarse and loosely

plaited braid, and on top of this is

another braid, and so on.

Ninety-six per cent. of all deaths

from whooping cough and 80 per cent.

of the deaths from measles occur in

children under five years old.

William Woodard, of Decatur, Ia.,

writes: "I was troubled with kidney

disease, for several years and four

one dollar size bottles of Foley's Kid-

ney Cure cured me. I would recom-

mend it to anyone who has kidney

trouble."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and

North streets.

The Lady-Killer—I suppose you'll

be going around telling everyone that

I'm a fool?

The Lady—No, dear; there are some

things we must keep to ourselves.—

Ally Sloper.

A Good Cough Medicine.

It speaks well for Chamberlain's

Cough Remedy when druggists use it

in their own families in preference to

any other. "I have sold Chamber-

Do Your Shopping

: : AT : :

This Popular Store.

SEE

THE NEW PARASOLS,
THE NEW UMBRELLAS,
THE NEW NECKWEAR,
THE NEW BELTS,
THE NEW LACES,
THE NEW RIBBONS,
THE NEW HOSIERY,
THE NEW WAISTS,
THE NEW WALKING SKIRTS,
THE NEW DRESS SKIRTS,
THE NEW FANS,
THE NEW HEADWEAR FOR CHILDREN.



209-211 North Main Street.

There are Big Bargains Here
In Tailor-made Suits.

WIFE

Came to This City
To Investigate.

Only a Letter

Was Sent to Her Husband at Ft. Wayne

But She Found the Other Woman and a Little Heart to Heart Talk

Brought the Two Women to an Understanding and the Erring Husband Will be Probably be Good Now.

Last evening an aged man and a woman who gave her name as Mrs. Swope arrived in the city from Ft. Wayne, Ind., and applied at the police station for information concerning a woman who had signed her name to a letter as Carrie Wilson and had given her address as 309 north Central Avenue. The address was sufficient to easily locate the woman and in a short time sergeant Caddy had the two women in an interesting conversation in which the subject of discussion was the Ft. Wayne woman's husband.

According to the story told to the police the Ft. Wayne woman had received a letter

addressed to her husband and upon opening it she found it to be from the Wilson woman who told that means of informing Mr. Swope that she had moved from her former residence to the Central Avenue address and wondering why the Lima woman should write to her husband. Mrs. Swope, accompanied by a relative came here to investigate. It did not take long to discover the secret after the two women met, for the Wilson woman confessed that she and Mr. Swope had been quite friendly for some time but claimed that she had been told that Mrs. Swope had been

BRITISH

Again Meet the Sturdy Boers in a Skirmish

And Although Driven Off, Kitchener's Forces Leave Many Dead and Wounded.

London, May 31.—Kitchener reports a stiff battle between Boers and a force under Col. Dickson. At Vlakfontain in the extreme south of the Transvaal Dickson was attacked by a force under Delary. The enemy was driven off by the British, leaving 35 dead. The British losses in killed and wounded numbered 174. Among them one captain and three lieutenants were killed.

SOUTHERN

Railway Manager Makes a Bold Declaration.

Says He Will Not Consider the Nine Hour Proposition of the Striking Machinists.

Washington, May 31.—General manager Frank S. Gannon, of the Southern railway in discussing the strike of machinists as affecting the Southern railway's system that will not consider nine hour proposition: "We employ about 900 men," he said this morning, "about half of them are out. We will know by Monday just what steps to take in the matter."

Monarchs over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

Choice Groceries at Townsend's.

MANY

Will Have Crossed the River

To Final Rest

Before the Flowers are Strewn Again

But Memorial Day Will Ever be Held Sacred by the Nation.

The Exercises at the Opera House Yesterday Afternoon Pleased an Audience Which Packed the Big Auditorium.

Many people were turned away from the opera house yesterday afternoon, every seat, both down stairs and in the balcony being occupied long before the hour set for the exercises of memorial day. It was a sensible change from the original plan and the old veterans who were comfortably seated and shielded from the exposure enjoyed all the more the excellent music and the eloquent address of Judge Davies of Sidney.

Previous to the introductory remarks by Dr. Hall, several stirring tunes, the glad airs that sent the patriotic blood of the soldier coursing rapidly through their veins on the field of battle, were rendered by the corps with fife and drums, and the veterans applauded no number on the program more heartily. The music is a fixture in the mind of the soldier and the tunes will never grow old.

After a beautiful and touching prayer by Rev. Leatherman, the first number by the choir, under the direction of Thos. O. Peale, was sung and several times during the afternoon the audience was permitted to enjoy selections that were appropriate to the occasion and rendered in a manner that merited the applause which followed.

At a signal from Commander R. E. Davis, Mart Armstrong Post stood to hear the orders read by Adjutant W. W. Lowe, which included the address to the soldiers by the commander in chief, setting aside a day in memory of the dead comrades.

One of the prettiest features of the program was the drill by the eighteen little girls, who were trained by Miss Myrtle Berryman. They were dressed in white and in their marching went through a number of difficult figures with the skill of trained soldiers. The conclusion of the drill was the strewing of flowers at the base of the large monument erected in the middle of the stage.

The announcement of Miss Lena Sanford's disability and the necessity therefore of omitting her eloquent effort, "Lincoln's Gettysburg speech," was manifest disappointment, but with that one exception the program was carried out as published.

The memorial address, delivered by Judge W. D. Davies, of Sidney, was a brilliant one, and teemed with eloquent eulogies for those who, individually and collectively, put the stamp of freedom on every foot of soil over which waves the stars and stripes. His touching tribute to the wives, mothers and daughters struck a tender chord, and frequently during his address Judge Davies was compelled to await for the silence following the applause which punctuated his brilliant utterances.

The events of the day concluded with a camp fire at the Congregational church in the evening which was largely attended. A program which pleased everybody, and especially the old soldiers, was rendered as follows:

a. The New Star Spangled Banner.
b. Exalted Heroes.

Prayer—Comrade Thomas H. Jones.
Music.

a. Angies Guard Our Comrades' Graves.

b. Solo, Miss Arthur with chorus.

Address, Comrade E. F. Davis.

Music.

Softly Comrades. Double Quartette.

Address, Comrade Joseph Morris.

Music.

Medley of Patriotic Airs, Watson's Orchestra.

Solo, Prayer, Evan Evans.

Solo with chorus.

Battle Hymn of the Republic, Mrs. E. F. Davis.

Address, Comrade Frank Light.

Recitation, The Vision of the Blind Soldier, Miss Robinson.

Music, Females Quartette.

Soldier Rest, Thy Warfare O'er.

Choir.

Benediction.

RELATIVES

Of Singlinger Come from Kenton

To Attend the Trial in Duffield's Court.

A Number of Witnesses Subpoenaed to Support the Demand of Proprietor Riley of the Atlantic House.

Justice Duffield's court was the scene of a gathering of quite a knot of people this morning, who were drawn there mostly as witnesses in the case of the state against Louis Singlinger, the Kenton man who created a rough house at the Atlantic hotel.

Singlinger was brought over from jail at 9:30 and his face still bore the traces of the finishing blows delivered by John Riley, one of the proprietors. The defendant asked for a postponement of the hearing until the arrival of his attorney and several parties who sent word that they would arrive on the first train from Kenton. The court granted the request and a half hour later attorney Howard Williamson held a consultation with Singlinger. In the meantime the Kenton parties arrived, including several women, but the case had finally to go over because of the inability of R. C. Ridenour, to be present.

The latter arranged with attorney Kilgore to take the case and the witnesses again assembled at one o'clock this afternoon when the trial proceeded.

The early part of the proceedings brought forth the witnesses who had either seen or heard the actions or threats of Singlinger against Mr. Riley and several of the bystanders who were in front of the Atlantic house at the time testified that the defendant told Riley he would get him if he had to lay for him at night. Dan McSweeney told of seeing Singlinger pick up a stone and cross the street toward the Atlantic, but he succeeded in getting him to throw it away before any damage was done. There are a number of witnesses to be heard and the case will hardly be concluded today.

FILIPINO

Called for a Passport for a European Tour.

"If I am Not an American Citizen, What am I?" He Asked, When Refused.

London, May 31.—Ambassador Choate ran into a funny complication today. Felix Verazona, a Filipino, called to get a passport for a European tour. Choate said he had no power to grant a passport to a Filipino. Verazona then said, "If I am not an American citizen, what am I?" Choate gave it up finally and issued the passport that will be good if the administration does not turn it down.

BULL DOGS

And Shot Guns are Now Guarding the Treasure

That was Found in the Old Hatfield Homestead—Treasure Amounts to \$15,000 in Gold.

New York, May 31.—Melville Wygant who found a pot of gold in the old Hatfield homestead at Port Richards says there are \$15,000 of glittering gold. He is guarding his treasure night and day with bull dogs and shot guns. It is expected the Hatfield heirs will bring suit for the money found in the home of their ancestors.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, May 31—Cattle, 2,000 steady; hogs, 22,000 active; sheep 4,000 steady.

A WESTERN HOLD-UP REVIVED

How a Reno Gambling-House and All Its Players Were Successfully Held Up By One Nervy Robber.

The billboards of this city contain a picture just now that is attracting much attention. It is of mammoth size and represents a highwayman in typical Western garb, with a mask over his eyes and a large revolver in his hand, holding up every passerby.

The real merit if the picture is more thoroughly appreciated when the spectator changes his position and views it from another side. No matter where he goes the highwayman has a bead on him, the piercing eyes and the gun follows his every move, whether

EVERYTHING NEW
IN READY MADES AT
BLUEM'S.

When practical, stylish ideas start from two such cities as Chicago and New York, a fashion becomes established all over the country. A cry for lighter weight skirts was heard and at once "unlined skirts" came the answer, and we show a fine line today at this store in Cheviot, Broadcloth, Venetian, Etamine, Zangane and Silk, all as light in weight as a feather.

Unlined Cheviot Skirts \$5, 5.75, 7.50, 8.75, 10.00 to 15.00. Unlined Broadcloth Skirts \$7.50, 8.75, 10.00, 12.50 to 15.00. Unlined Venetian Skirts \$5, 7.50, 8.75, 10.00 to 12.50.

LEADERS.

Brown, Blue, Broadcloth, unlined, at \$6.50. Black Cheviot, all wool, very fine, unlined, at \$5. Fine Taffeta Silk, a beauty, unlined, at \$10. Fine Taffeta Silk, a beauty, unlined, at \$13.50. Fine Taffeta Silk, a beauty, unlined, at \$15.

Shirt Waist Importance.

The amount of room and display we give to shirt waists is done for a purpose. They go hand in hand with Skirts. You can buy one here as readily as another. We aim to have all sizes, and most waists can be found as large in size as 44, especially those styles adapted to fleshy ladies. Buying them late this year lands the swellest styles here just in the nick of time, in price from 49c, 59c, 69c, 89c, \$1. up to \$4 each.

The Shirt Waist Suit

For summer outings, made of cool lawn, gingham, chambray, Mercerized ginghams, batiste, of style shirt waist and skirt combined, either of which can be worn separate, prices for entire suit \$2.25, 2.49, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 5.75, 6.50, 8.75, 10.00, 12.50 and 14.00, including some

FINE LINEN EFFECTS.

Hosiery and Underwear for Saturday Selling.

HOSIERY.

A Ladies' Stocking.....

Fast black seamless.

10c

A Ladies' Stocking.....

Fast black, ribbed top.

15c

A Ladies' Stocking.....

Fast black, lace lisle.

25c

A Ladies' Stocking.....

Assorted patterns, lace lisle.

50c

HOSIERY.

Children's Stockings.....

10c

Sizes 5 to 8, a special value.

Children's Stockings.....

15c

2 pairs for 25c, fast black, fine ribbed.

Our leader, boys' sizes 6 to 10, heavy ribbed.

15c

Children's Stockings.....

25c

Fine ribbed lisle, an elegant value.

HOSIERY.

Men's Stockings.....

A Men's Hose at.....

2 pr. 25c, fast black, blue, grey.

A Men's Hose at.....

25c

A leader in fast black, tan, grey and cream.

A Men's Hose at.....

35c

Elegant new patterns in fables like the very latest, ouzo.

Ladies' Vests.

A Bargain Vest.....

10c

Full sized.

A Bargain Vest.....

15c

Extra sizes, pure yarn.

A Bargain Vest.....

25c

Lisle